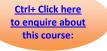
Adobe® Photoshop® CS4: Level 1 (Apple Mac)





Course Duration: 1.0 days

Course Overview:

Adobe® Photoshop® has been an indispensable image-editing software application for many years. As an aspiring graphic designer, you would like to familiarize yourself with design creation and image editing using this software. Understanding the different tools and features available in Photoshop CS4 will help you maximize your creative potential. In this course, you will use the various tools and features of Photoshop CS4 to work with images.

Course Description:

You will explore the Photoshop CS4 interface, customize it, and use tools for selecting parts of images. You will learn to use layers and to apply layer effects and filters for creating special effects. Additionally, you will use painting tools and blending modes to enhance the appearance of your design. Finally, you will save images in both print and web formats.

Target Student:

Adobe® Photoshop® CS4: Level 1 is intended for a diverse audience including, but not limited to, computer-savvy professionals who want to create and enhance graphics for marketing materials, newsletters, blogs, and websites; photographers who want to work with and prepare photos for print or web; students with an interest in graphic design or those with novice design skills; and professionals who want to learn and use Photoshop CS4 as a complement to other CS4 programs, such as Illustrator.

Prerequisites:

Before taking this course, students should be familiar with the basic functions of their computer's operating system such as creating folders, launching programs, and working with Macintosh. Students should also have basic Windows application skills, such as copying and pasting objects, formatting text, saving files, and so on.

Delivery Method:

Instructor led, group-paced, classroom-delivery learning model with structured hands-on activities.

Course Objectives

Upon successful completion of this course, students will be able to:

- Explore the Adobe Photoshop CS4 environment.
- Determine the resolution and graphic type.
- Work with selections.
- Work with multiple layers.
- Enhance images.
- Identify the various image mode characteristics and color adjustment options.
- Save images in the web, print, and PDF formats.

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Course Content

Lesson 1: Exploring the Adobe Photoshop CS4 Environment

Topic 1A: Explore the Photoshop Interface

Topic 1B: Explore the Navigation Tools

Topic 1C: Customize the Workspace

Topic 1D: Explore Adobe Bridge

Topic 1E: Use Photoshop Help

Lesson 2: Determining Resolution and Graphic Type

Topic 2A: Differentiate Between Raster and Vector Graphics Topic 2B: Understand Image Resolution

Lesson 3: Working with Selections

Topic 3A: Create a Selection

Topic 3B: Save a Selection

Topic 3C: Modify a Selection

Topic 3D: Apply Color to a Selection

Lesson 4: Working with Layers

Topic 4A: Create Layers Topic 4B: Work with Type Layers Topic 4C: Transform Layers Topic 4D: Apply Layer Styles Topic 4E: Manage Layers

Lesson 5: Enhancing Images with Paint and Filters

Topic 5A: Paint on an Image Topic 5B: Apply Filter Effects

Lesson 6: Exploring Image Modes and Colour Adjustments

Topic 6A: Explore Greyscale and Bitmap Modes Topic 6B: Explore Colour Modes Topic 6C: Apply Colour Adjustments

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Lesson 7: Saving Images for Web and Print

Topic 7A: Save Images for Print Topic 7B: Save Images for the Web Topic 7C: Save Images as PDF

Appendix A: Work with Adobe® Bridge

Supplemental Lesson Managing Assets with Adobe Bridge Topic 1A: Work with Adobe Bridge

Topic 1B: Work with Stacks and Filters in Adobe Bridge Topic 1C: Apply Metadata and Keywords to Files

Appendix B: New Features in Adobe® Photoshop® CS4